## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

TIMOTHY J. NOVAK,

ORDER

Plaintiff,

03-C-0093-C

v.

SAWYER COUNTY HENRIETTA WATSON, DUNN COUNTY, and LINDA SHINDLER,

Defendants.

A telephone conference was held on the motion of plaintiff's attorney to withdraw as counsel for plaintiff. Mark Krueger and plaintiff participated.

Mr. Krueger explained that he had reached the point at which he could no longer work with Mr. Novak after Mr. Novak had rejected defendants' settlement proposal. Mr. Novak agreed that he did not want to work with Mr. Krueger any longer and that he would be looking for new counsel to represent him. I advised plaintiff that he would have three weeks, or until September 30, 2004, in which to obtain new counsel and advise the court of the name of counsel. If plaintiff is unable to find new counsel to represent him in that

interval, he will have to represent himself in further proceedings. This case is set for trial on January 31, 2005, and plaintiff has no time to waste if he is to be ready for trial on the

scheduled date. To assist plaintiff, Mr. Krueger will send him his file immediately.

seeking enforcement of the settlement they believed they had reached in this case.

I advised plaintiff that I had received a letter from stating defendants' counsel stating that he would not be participating in the telephone hearing but that his clients would be

Entered this 3rd day of September, 2004.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB District Judge